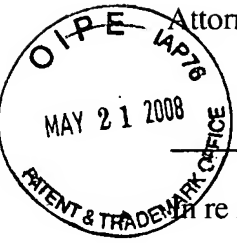


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PETITION

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of January 18, 2008. A check in the amount of \$120 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith so that the period for response is extended to May 18, 2008. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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RESPONSE

In conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination, this paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.